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## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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**PARIS AND EUROPE.**—LEON DE ROSNY, 19, Rue Menueville, Paris.

**NEW YORK.**—ANDREW WIND, 188, Nassau Street.

**AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.**—GORDON & GUTHRIE, Melbourne and Sydney.

**SAN FRANCISCO** and American Ports generally.—BRAN & BLACK, San Francisco.

**SINGAPORE AND STRAITS.**—SAYLE & Co., 2, Market Street, Singapore. C. HEINSEN & Co., Malacca.

**CHINA.**—Messrs A. A. DE MELO & Co., Canton, CAMPBELL & Co., Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co., Foochow, HEDON & Co., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WATSON, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000 Dollars.  
RESERVE FUND, \$1,500,000 Dollars.

**COURT OF DIRECTORS.**  
Chairman—The Hon. W. KENNEDY.  
Deputy Chairman—A. MOLLER, Esq.  
ABOLY ANDER, Esq. H. D. O'FARRELL, Esq.  
E. R. THURTELL, Esq. H. HOPKIN, Esq.  
H. L. DALLMEYER, Esq. F. D. BARON, Esq.  
W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

**CHIEF MANAGER.**  
HONGKONG.—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.  
SHANGHAI.—E. W. CAMERON, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

**HONGKONG.**  
INTEREST ALLOWED.  
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

**LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.**  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East,  
Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

**COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.**  
(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1842.)

**RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1863.**

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, \$3,200,000.  
RESERVE FUND, \$800,000.

**HEAD OFFICE.**—14, Rue de Brochez, PARIS.

**AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at:**  
LONDON, BOULBON, SAN FRANCISCO, MARSEILLE, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, BANGKOK, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHEW.

**LONDON BANKERS.**  
THE BANK OF ENGLAND.  
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Business.

E. G. VOUILLEMON, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

**ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.**  
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$1,500,000.

**RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.**

At 3 months notice 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " " 4 " " "  
" 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. C. BOOTH, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

**CHARTERED MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.**  
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

The following Rates of Interest are allowed on Fixed Deposits:

For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 3 " 3 per cent. " "

H. H. NELSON, Manager.

Hongkong, May 31, 1879.

## Banks.

**CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.**  
CAPITAL, £2800,000.  
RESERVE FUND, £190,000.  
Bankers.

**THE BANK OF ENGLAND.**  
THE CITY BANK.

**NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.**

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

**RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.**

On Current Accounts, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

**NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.**

Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.

Established in Calcutta 29th September, 1863.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £253,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £465,250.  
RESERVE FUND, £25,000.

**HEAD OFFICE.**—39A, THEATRE STREET, LONDON, E.C.

**LONDON BANKERS.**—NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND. NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance; and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

**NOTICES OF FIRMS.**

**NOTICE.**  
WE have this day entered into PARTNERSHIP as SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS under the Style of "COHEN and GEORGE."

CHAS. C. COHEN, ERICOR GEORGE.

Hongkong, May 17, 1880.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. C. STIEBEL has to-day been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.

ERISS & Co.

Hongkong, May 1, 1880.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Agents, ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

**For Sale.**

**KELLY & WALSH**  
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

A Large Stock of FRENCH ACCOUNT BOOKS, the Paper of which is especially suitable to the climate, and the prices are very moderate.

"Fine Selection of BIRTHDAY CARDS, Hand-Made BANK PAPERS, MILLS' FANCY SKETCHES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES, BEZIQUE, Newest Designs PLAYING CARDS, New SONGS! New MUSIC! The Finest Selection of STATIONERY ever offered in the East, including The "JAPANESE," The "ACADEMY," "LION'S," "BARKVILLE," RUFF PAPER, "MAX GRAMER," &c., &c., all in small convenient Cases, from 50 Cents.

New FRENCH NOVELS!  
New ENGLISH NOVELS!

Hongkong, May 7, 1880.

**FOR SALE.**

**JULES MUMM & Co's CHAMPAGNE.**  
Quint, \$16 per 1 doz. Case.  
Finte, \$17 per 3 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, February 3, 1880.

**NOW READY.**

**"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW,"**  
By E. H. PARKER.  
Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

## For Sale.

**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.**  
In. v. inspection of SILVER and BRASS MOUNTED, OOB SIZE, GIG HARNESS, which they have just received from F. Mawhood, Carriage and Harness Manufacturer, Shanghai. Prices: from \$38 to \$65, the Single Set.

They will also be glad to receive Orders for DOUBLE HARNESS of all Descriptions; also SPARE REINS (Single and Double), STIRRUP LEATHERS, PET-LOCK BOOTS, &c., and hope shortly to receive Designs for CARRIAGES, &c., &c. The above HARNESS is made of the best Leather and by ENGLISH WORKMEN.

Hongkong, May 3, 1880.

**FOR SALE.**

**A. RAUTERT, MAYN Z.**  
AWARDED FIRST PRIZE MEDAL, SYDNEY EXHIBITION.

SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

**Eighth Volume of the "CHINA REVIEW."**

**Now Ready.**

**No. 5.—VOL. VIII.**  
—OF THE—  
"CHINA REVIEW"

**CONTAINS—**

Translations from the Li-li, or General Code of Laws of the Chinese Empire. Fa-Hsien and His English Translations. The Flower-Fleets. Translations of Chinese School-Books. Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence.

Notes and Queries:—Remarks on the Syllabary of the Hakka. Disputed by Mr. E. H. Parker. Hakka Marriage Customs. Dictionary of Chinese. Sermons in Ancient China. Curious Coins.

Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.

Hongkong, May 17, 1880.

**TO BE SOLD OR LET.**

**A BUNGALOW** on one of the best Hill Sites, on the northern slope of Mount Kaito, commanding the best views on all sides. It is substantially constructed, entirely of Brick and Stone; contains YENDIAN on all sides, a Large ENTRANCE HALL, DINING ROOM, DRAWING ROOM, STORE ROOM, three BED ROOMS (with a Bath Room attached to each), Dressing Room, English Kitchen handsomely fitted and Scullery attached; a Terrace Room, which may be used as a Bed Room, SERVANTS ROOM, Godown for Coals, &c., and OUT-HOUSES.

For further Particulars, apply to H. A. WOOLNOUTH, Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

**To Let.**

**TO BE LET OR SOLD.**

**BUILDING, BATHING, LAWN TENNIS, AND GARDEN SITES, at KOWLOON.**

Apply to "HONGKONG DISPENSARY."

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

**TO LET.**

**FOREIGN DWELLING HOUSES** in the HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing six Rooms and OUT-HOUSES.

No. 3 and 5, SETMOON TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1880.

**TO LET.**

**FURNISHED HOUSE** in CANE ROAD.

Apply. H. A. WOOLNOUTH, Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, March 25, 1880.

**TO LET.**

**TWO HOUSES** Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL.

TWO ROOMS in CHAMBERS.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

**TO LET.**

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

**TO BE SOLD** by Public Auction, on **TUESDAY,**

the 25th day of May, 1880, at Noon, at "THE VICTORIA FOUNDRY,"

(If not previously sold by Private Contract, of which due notice will be given),

THE BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPWRIGHTS lately carried on by Messrs J. INGLIS & Co., known as the "VICTORIA FOUNDRY," situate at Spring Gardens, Victoria, together with all the Valuable PLANT, MACHINE-

RY, TOOLS and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and the TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, and STEAM LAUNCHES, a Large Stock of Valuable PATTERNS and the GOODWILL of the BUSINESS.

The PLANT, MACHINERY, and TOOLS comprise the following:—

Six surfacing, sliding, screw cutting LATHE, all by first class makers, assorted heights and lengths, from 4 feet distance between centres to 26 feet ditto, and from 6 inch height of centres to 10 inch ditto, fitted with making-up Blocks, Pace Plates, Driver Chucks and Dog Chucks, Screw Gear, &c.

Four Double Gear and Single Gear DRILLING MACHINES, assorted sizes, by Smith Beacock & Tannett.

One PLANING MACHINE, by same makers, 10 feet by 4 feet by 4 feet.

One Powerful SCREWING MACHINE, with Taps and Dies.

One Eight Horse-power ENGINE and BOILER for Driving Machinery.

One very Substantial 7½ cwt. STEAM HAMMER, by Harvey & Co.

One Hundred and Fifty Feet DRIVING SHAFTING, with Wall Brackets, Pulleys, &c.

One Six Horse-power ENGINE and Silent Fan; and one 30 Fire Roots PATENT BLOWER, with Shafting, &c.

Two PUNCHING and SHEARING MACHINES.

Two Sets BENDING ROLLS.

One set GRINDING MACHINERY, Stones, Laps, &c.

Eighteen VICES, with Benches, &c., and Blacksmith's ANVILS, TOOLS, FORGES, and all necessary Fittings for Boiler Making.

Copper Smith's Iron and Brass Founding and other branches of Engineering Gear; Four Iron Cupolas, assorted sizes; Five Patent Brass Furnaces assorted for different sized Crucibles; large Drying Stove with Iron Carriage on Rails; small Drying Stoves and Core Benches.

Trying Plates, Ship Frame Bending Plates, Boiler Plate Furnace.

Also, A complete Stock of MOULDING BOXES and Iron Ladles, and Coal and Charcoal Grinders and Loam Bench.

The PATTERNS are of all descriptions, and comprise Plain and Bevel Gear Wheels, Pulleys, Furnace Bars and various Deck Fittings. Also, sets of High-pressure and Compound Engine Patterns, varying from 4 to 60 Horse-power, nominal, Vertical and Horizontal.

The STOCK-IN-TRADE consists of an Assortment of Brass Fittings for Boilers and Engines, Copper Plates and Tubes, Bolts and Nuts assorted, Boiler Plates, Boiler Tubes, Rivets, Washers, Charcoal Sheet Iron; Bar Iron, assorted sizes; a large quantity of Cast Steel Bars, Blister Steel, Cast Iron Sheaves, Centres for Wood Sheaves, Pig Iron, Old Cast Iron, &c., &c.

Also, One STEAM WINCH.

Two HAND WINCHES.

One JIB CRANE, complete.

Four STEAM BOILERS of various powers.

One pair of LIFTING SHEARS and GUY CHAINS.

One STEAM LAUNCH, about 60 feet long, with House, Duplex Engines, &c., complete, and very fast.

One Deck STEAM LAUNCH, about 60 feet long, with Cabin, Compound Engines &c., complete.

The whole of the Property will be offered for Sale in One Lot as a going concern; if not so sold, it will be put up for Sale in Lots, on TUESDAY, the 25th day of May next, and following days.

Catalogues will be issued; the whole will be on view for one week previous to the Sale. Further particulars can be obtained from Messrs Sharp, Toller & Johnson, solicitors, Supreme Court House, or from the Undersigned.

**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,**  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, April 20, 1880.

**TO LET.**

**THE FIRST FLOOR** of House No. 4, 4, Praya Road, together with the GROUND FLOOR, or separately.

Also, GROUND FLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 and 4.

Apply to MEYER & Co., Hongkong, April 10, 1880.

## Intimations.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

purpose sending a Monthly Indent for NEW MUSIC in their Special Order Department.

All CAVENS received up to the 29th of each Month, will go by the First Mail of the following Month.

Hongkong, May 7, 1880.

**NOTICE.**

**PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.**

**DURING** the next THREE MONTHS the Company's STEAMERS from CHINA will proceed Direct to LONDON, leaving Hongkong on the following Dates:—

DATE. SHIP. TONS.

31st May.....Thibet.....2,603

14th June.....Peshawar.....3,900

29th ".....Gandahar.....2,329

12th July.....Muziris.....3,887

26th ".....Anzore.....3,051

9th August.....Batavia.....3,500

A. MOLLER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, May 5, 1880.

**UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

A First Bonus of TWENTY-FIVE per Cent. upon Contributions, and an interim DIVIDEND of One HUNDRED and SIXTY Dollars per Share for the year 1879, will be payable on TUESDAY, the 11th Instant.

Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By Order of the Board, N. J. EDE, Secretary.

Hongkong, May 6, 1880.

**G. FALCONER & Co.,**  
WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS.

ANY JEWELLERS.

**NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.**

48, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, April 20, 1880.

**NOTICE.**

ALL persons having CLAIMS against the Estate of the late E. R. WIGMORE, in China, and all persons INDEBTED to the said Estate, are hereby notified that they must make payment of their claims, and to make payment of their liabilities to the undersigned, on or before the 30th proximo.

J. C. WARDLAW, Executor & Liquidator of the above Estate.

Amoy, April 21, 1880.

**MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER.**

**CAUTION.**

HAVING Learned that Large Quantities of IMITATIONS of our FLORIDA WATER have recently been imported into Hongkong, we caution the Public against purchasing any that does not bear the name "MURRAY & LANMAN" on the label. Each Bottle of the Genuine is wrapped with a pamphlet printed on paper which has the words "LANMAN & KEMP, NEW YORK" in Water Mark.

Messrs MELLUM & Co. are our only Agents for Sale of the Genuine Florida Water at Hongkong.

**LANMAN & KEMP.**

New York, July 9, 1878.

**In the Matter of the Estate of KWOK ACHONG, late of Hongkong, Merchant, Deceased.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all Creditors and other persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of KWOK ACHONG, who died at Victoria in the Island of Hongkong on the 22nd day of April, 1880, and whose Will was duly proved by Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po, of the 3rd day of April, 1880, are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their Claims or Demands to the said Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po, at their Office, 29, Queen's Road, Victoria, on or before the 1st day of September, 1880, and to make payment of their claims, and to make payment of their liabilities to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September, 1880, and to make payment of their liabilities to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September, 1880.

of which the said Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po, at their Office, 29, Queen's Road, Victoria, on or before the 1st day of September, 1880, and to make payment of their claims, and to make payment of their liabilities to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September, 1880.

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## Intimations.

### CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1879.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December 1879,



## For Sale.

**MacEwen, Fricke & Co.**  
HAVE JUST RECEIVED EX  
"AMERICAN MAIL," &c.  
— For Sale —

Codfish BALLS.  
Fig's Head CHEESE.  
Devilled HAM.  
Compressed HAM.  
Caviare.  
California Golden SYRUP.

Merrill's OLIVE.  
Whittaker's HAMS.  
COMB HONEY in Frame and  
Bottle.  
Very Fine Eastern CREAM  
CHEESE.

Pickled OX-TONGUES.  
Pickled PIG FORT.  
Boneless CODFISH.  
Salmon BELLIES.  
MACKEREL.

Green TURTLE, 1lb. and 2lb. Tins.  
Borden's Condensed MILK (very fresh).  
California BISCUITS in Cask and Tin.  
Ginger CAKES.

Milk BISCUITS.  
Soda BISCUITS.  
Wafer BISCUITS.  
Alphabet BISCUITS.  
Oyster BISCUITS.

CORNMEAL.  
RYE MEAL.  
HOMINY, Small and Large.  
Cracked WHEAT.  
OATMEAL.

SHELLBACK.  
PEAN, and  
BARCELONA NUTS.

Canned Table Fruits.  
Bartlett PEARS.  
PEACHES.  
GREENGAGES.  
APRICOTS.  
QUINORS.

CROSS & BLACKWELL'S  
HOUSEHOLD STORES.  
JOHN MOIR & Sons'  
CELEBRATED PRESERVES.

CHURCH'S PADLOCKS,  
TILL LOCKS,  
BOX LOCKS,  
OUPBOARD LOCKS,  
&c., &c.

American PADLOCKS, and  
Builder's LOCKS.  
JOSEPH ROBERTS & Sons' Table  
CUTLERY.

Combination Champagne KNIVES,  
Pocket KNIVES,  
SCISSORS,  
RAZORS,  
&c., &c.

BUSBY'S Patent Pneumatic GUN,  
ALUMINIUM Gold PEN and PENCIL  
CASES.

Billiard CHALK and CUE TIPS.  
WILLINGTON'S Knife POLISH.  
PLATE POWDER.  
Metallic TAPE LINES.

A Large Assortment of  
FANCY AND OFFICE  
STATIONERY.

Superfine Note PAPER, from 50 Cents per  
Box, of 5 Quires.  
ENVELOPES, from 20 Cents per Hundred.  
WOOLSCAF.

Letter PAPER.  
Blotting PAPER.  
Drawing PAPER.  
Blank BOOKS.  
Copying BOOKS.

Oil PAPER.  
Drying PAPER.  
Blotting PADS.  
PENS.

AND ALL OFFICE  
REQUISITES.

N.B.—Our Papers and Envelopes are im-  
ported direct from Manufacturer, and  
the quality for price is unsurpassed,  
if not unequalled in Hongkong.

NOVELS!  
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WORKS OF REFERENCE,  
SCHOOL BOOKS,  
SCIENTIFIC  
WORKS,  
&c., &c.

Very Fine "Cable Coil" TOBACCO.  
"Empress of India," and  
Best "Navy" in Stock.

GIGARS,  
CAYITE,  
PRINCESS,  
FORTIN, and  
MERISIG.

CHEROKEE, OLIVE, and PRINCESS.  
SHIPS' STORES of every Description.  
HEMP, and COTTON CANVAS.  
RUSSIAN, MANILA, and WIRE ROPE.  
SAIL-MAKING, and RIGGING promptly  
executed.

Hongkong, May 19, 1880.

## Mails.

NOTICE.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES,  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,  
POINT DE GALLE,  
ADEN, SUER, ISMAILIA, PORT  
SAID, NAPLES, AND  
MARSEILLES;  
Also,  
PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA  
AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON MONDAY, the 24th day of May,  
1880, at Noon, the Company's  
S. S. *PRIZO*, Commandant PASQUILLI,  
with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECK,  
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the  
above places.

Cargo and Speed will be registered for  
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-  
cepted in transit through Marseilles for the  
principal places of Europe.  
Shipping Orders will be granted until  
Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until  
4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on  
the 23rd of May, 1880. (Parcels are not  
to be sent on board; they must be left  
at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-  
quired.  
For further particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my24

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE  
AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. *NIGATA MARU*, Captain  
WYNN, due here on or about the  
24th instant, will be despatched as above  
on SATURDAY, the 29th May, at Day-  
light.

Cargo received on board and Parcels at  
the Office up to 6 p.m. of 28th May.  
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2  
Freight.

All Claims must be settled on board  
before delivery is taken, otherwise they  
will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE.  
To KOBE.....Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.  
" YOKOHAMA & NAGASAKI.....Do. \$75. Do. 20.  
A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN  
PASSENGERS.

CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki  
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail  
Steamer at Kobe.

For further Particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office, No. 50A, QUEEN'S  
ROAD CENTRAL.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my29

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RATES OF PASSAGE.  
To KOBE.....Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.  
" YOKOHAMA & NAGASAKI.....Do. \$75. Do. 20.  
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RATES OF PASSAGE.  
To KOBE.....Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.  
" YOKOHAMA & NAGASAKI.....Do. \$75. Do. 20.  
A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN  
PASSENGERS.

CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki  
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail  
Steamer at Kobe.

## Insurances.

SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE  
COMPANY.  
FIRE AND LIFE.

INSURANCES against FIRE granted at  
Current Rates. Considerable Reduction  
in Premium for LIFE Insurance in  
China.

MEYER & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, June 2, 1879. 2jns80

SWISS LLOYD  
TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY  
OF WINTERTHUR.

INSURANCES granted on MARINE  
RISKS to all parts of the World.  
MEYER & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, June 3, 1879. 3jns80

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.  
Incorporated by Royal Charter and  
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.  
CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong  
for the above Company, are prepared to  
grant Policies against FIRE, to the  
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or  
on Merchandise in the same, at the  
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20  
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.  
THE Undersigned, Agents for the above  
Company, are prepared to grant In-  
surances at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co.,  
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY OF  
MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.  
Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling  
of which is paid up £ 100,000 "  
Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 "  
Annual Income £ 250,000 "

THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at  
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai,  
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant  
Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, October 16, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.  
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER  
of  
His Majesty King George The First,  
A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.  
Policies at current rates payable either  
here, in London or at the principal Ports  
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.  
Policies issued for long or short periods at  
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding  
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

FOR FOOCHOW (DIRECT).  
The Eastern and  
Australian Mail Steam Co.  
Steamship  
"Memphis,"  
will be despatched as above on SATUR-  
DAY Next, the 22nd instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my22

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND  
CALCUTTA.  
The Steamship  
"Hindostan,"  
Capt. MacDONALD, will  
be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 26th inst.,  
at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DAVID RABSON, SONS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my25

NOTICE.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES,  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

THE Co's Steamship  
"Tahiti,"  
Commandant REINIER,  
will be despatched for  
YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of  
the next French Mail from Europe.

## To-day's Advertisements.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.  
FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.  
The Steamship  
"Merionethshire,"  
RICKARD, Commander,  
will be despatched for the above Ports,  
at Noon, TO-MORROW.

All Cargo not shipped TO-DAY, must be  
alongside at Daylight TO-MORROW.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my20

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI.  
The Steamship  
"Haitong,"  
Capt. Pocock, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on SATURDAY, the 22nd inst., at  
Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my22

FOR MANILA.  
The Steamship  
"Emeralda,"  
Capt. TAYLOR, will be  
despatched for the above  
Port on SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, at  
4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my22

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.  
The Steamship  
"Douglas,"  
Capt. ASHBY, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on SUNDAY, the 23rd inst., at 9 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my23

FOR LONDON.  
The J. I. British Ship  
"Hartfield," Master, will  
load here for the above Port, and  
will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
VOUGEL & Co.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880.

TO BE LET.  
BURROWS' Massive-Built GODOWNS,  
PRAYA EAST,  
No. 44, very suitable for Dry Goods;  
and Nos. 45, 56A, 59A, for COAL; with  
PRIVATE WHARF.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111A, and  
113, WANCHI ROAD.  
For Particulars, apply to  
SIEMSEN & Co.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-  
Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND  
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED  
STATES AND EUROPE,  
IN CONNECTION WITH THE  
CENTRAL  
and  
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING  
RAILROAD COMPANIES  
AND  
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. *BELGIO* will be despatched  
for San Francisco via Yokohama,  
on TUESDAY, the 26th May, 1880, at  
3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for  
Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central  
and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with  
Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until  
4 p.m. of the 24th May. PARCELS  
PACKAGES will be received at the Office  
until 6 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages  
should be marked to address in full; value  
of same is required.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-  
senger Tickets.

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-  
land, Mexican, Central and South American  
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's  
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,  
San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight  
or Passage, apply to the Agency of the  
Company, No. 37, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.  
G. B. EMORY, Agent.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1880. my25

Not Responsible for Debts.  
Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be Responsible for  
any Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour—

CINGALESE, British barque, Captain J.  
Pringle.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

LLEWELLYN J. MORSE, American ship,  
Capt. F. B. Ames.—Russell & Co.

CANTONIAL, American ship, Capt. J.  
M. Beare.—Vogel & Co.

ANNA BERTHA, German barque, Captain  
F. Krause.—Siemssen & Co.

EMMA, German 3-masted schooner, Capt.  
P. T. Michelson.—Edward Seligman & Co.

May 19, *Anna Bertha*, German barque,  
463 G. Krause, Takao and Takaofo May  
18, *Super*,—Siemssen & Co.

## DEPARTURES.

May 19, *Hankow*, for Shanghai & Hankow.  
19, *America*, for Halphong.  
19, *India*, Portuguese troopship, for  
Macao.

19, *Strathern*, for Victoria (V. I.)  
19, *Kilmarney*, for Foochow.

OLWARKED.  
*Kiangtung*, for Coast Ports.  
*Tenzer*, for Amoy and Shanghai.  
*Kang-chi* for Hoihow, &c.  
*Conquest* for Hoihow, &c.  
*Diamond*, for Singapore & London.  
*Merionethshire*, for Yokohama.

ARRIVED.  
Per *Douglas*, from Coast Ports, Mr. and  
Mrs. Crawford, Messrs. Wy Shing and Lay  
Kun, and 245 Chinese deck.

Per *Dale*, from Bangkok, 81 Chinese.

Per *America*, for Halphong, Mr. E. Con-  
stantine, and 5 Chinese.

Per *Hankow*, for Hankow, 1 European.  
Per *Strathern*, for Victoria (V. I.), 436  
Chinese.

Per *Kilmarney*, for Foochow, 49 Chinese.

TO DEPART.  
Per *Diamond*, for Singapore, &c., Mr. and  
Mrs. Kien, Mr. and Mrs. Banermeister, 1  
European, and 721 Chinese.

Per *Tenzer*, for Amoy, &c., 1 European,  
and 20 Chinese.

Per *Kang-chi*, for Hoihow, &c., 40 Chi-  
nese.

Per *Conquest*, for Hoihow, &c., 1 Euro-  
pean, and 65 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.  
The German barque *Anna Bertha* re-  
ports: Light variable winds for the first  
two days, then moderate from E.N.E. to  
S. with heavy rain.

The British steamer *Douglas* reports:  
Left Foochow May 14th, Amoy 16th, and  
Swatow 18th. From Foochow to Amoy  
light variable winds and dense fog; from  
Amoy to Swatow light variable winds and  
dense fog. Swatow to Hongkong moderate  
variable winds and rain throughout. Arrived  
in Hongkong in the forenoon, 19th. Passed  
two steamers bound North off Tsim-  
shui Point. In Foochow: S. S. *Glenagla*,  
*Glenagla*, *Hoo-son*, and H.M.S. *Merioneth*.  
Passed S. S. *Beaver* in river. In Amoy:  
S. S. *Orestes*, and H.M.S. *Sheldrake*. In  
Swatow: S. S. *Hochung*, *Caribbrook*, *Lady*,  
*Swatow*, *Choo-choo*, *Neuchowang*, *Lydia*,  
*Olympia*, *Algonquin*, and *Yokohama*.

The British steamer *Dale* reports: Left  
Bangkok Bar on the 13th inst. Had light  
southerly winds and calm down the  
Gulf of Siam. Thence to Cape Yarela  
South and S.W. winds with cloudy wea-  
ther and rain, and fresh South and S.E.  
winds to within 50 miles of the Ladrones,  
and thence to Port variable winds with  
thick cloudy weather and continued rain.

The British steamer *Venice* reports: Left  
Nagasaki on the 14th at 5 p.m., and  
arrived in Hongkong at noon on the 19th.  
Had fresh N.E. wind and thick rainy wea-  
ther throughout. In Nagasaki: H.M.S.  
*Sylvia* and *Fly*, and S. S. *Ocean*. H.M.S.  
*Sylvia* was to leave Nagasaki for Hongkong  
at 6 p.m. on 14th.

The German 3-masted schooner *Emma*  
reports: First part of the voyage light  
variable winds, off Shanghai strong northerly breeze, afterwards north-  
easterly and north-east winds, with fog and  
rain till arrival.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.  
MAILS will close:—  
For SHANGHAI.—  
Per *Celtic Monarch*, at 11.30 a.m. To-  
morrow, the 20th inst., instead of as  
previously notified.

For YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.—  
Per *Merionethshire*, at 11.30 a.m. To-  
morrow, the 20th inst.

For NAGASAKI.—  
Per *Panthia*, at 8.30 p.m. To-morrow,  
the 20th inst.

For SAIGON.—  
Per *Tunis*, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the  
20th inst., instead of as previously  
notified.

For AMOY AND TAMSUI.—  
Per *Haitong*, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the  
21st inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.—  
Per *Douglas*, at 8.30 a.m., on Sunday,  
the 23rd inst.

For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA.—  
Per *Hindostan*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tues-  
day, the 25th inst.

For JAPAN via KOBE.—  
Per *Nigata Maru*, at 5 p.m., on Friday,  
the 25th inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.—  
The French Contract Packet *Peiho* will  
be despatched on MONDAY, the  
24th May, with Mails to and  
through the United Kingdom and  
Europe, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits  
Settlements, India, Burma, Ceylon,  
the Australian Colonies, Pondicherry,  
Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta  
and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing  
the Mails, &c.

## MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.  
Daylight.—*Kiangtung* leaves for Coast  
Ports.  
Daylight.—*Tenzer* leaves for Shanghai.  
Noon.—*Celtic Monarch* leaves for S'hal.  
Noon.—*Merionethshire* leaves for Yokohama, &c.

General Memoranda.  
FRIDAY, May 21.—  
Daylight.—*Tunis* leaves for Saigon.

SATURDAY, May 22.—  
Daylight.—*Haitong* leaves for Amoy, &c.  
Noon.—*Memair* leaves for Foochow.  
4 p.m.—*Emma* leaves for Manila.

SUNDAY, May 23.—  
Noon.—French Mail leaves for Ports of  
Call and Europe.  
Goods per *Merionethshire* undelivered  
after this date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, May 25.—  
Noon.—*Hindostan* leaves for Singapore,  
&c.  
2 p.m.—Auction of Plant, Machinery,  
&c., at "The Victoria Foundry."  
3 p.m.—*Occidental* & *Oriental* S. S. Co's  
Steamer *Belge* leaves for Yokohama  
and San Francisco.

SATURDAY, May 29.—  
Daylight.—*Midan* Mail leaves for  
Yokohama, &c.

THE  
HONGKONG DISPENSARY,  
Established A.D. 1841.  
香港大藥房

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FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS.  
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OF  
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AMERICAN, and FRENCH PATENT  
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OF  
Soda Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water,  
Gingerade, Potable Water, Sarsaparilla  
Water, and other Astringent Waters.

The Manufactory is under direct and  
continuous European Supervision.  
Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any  
other persons who may desire to con-  
sult the files of local, China, Japan,  
American, English, Indian or Australian  
newspapers, are invited to call at  
the "China Mail" Office, where over  
sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies,  
from these countries, are now filed for  
reference.

BIRTH.  
On the 19th May, at No. 3, Blue House,  
Praya Rest, the Wife of Mr. C. SEMWON,  
of a Son.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 7.30 p.m.

The China Mail.  
HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1880.



Evening Star, Littlefield.



